

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR  
THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA  
GREAT FALLS DIVISION**

NORTHERN PLAINS RESOURCE )  
COUNCIL, BOLD ALLIANCE, )  
NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE )  
COUNCIL, SIERRA CLUB, CENTER )  
FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, and )  
FRIENDS OF THE EARTH, )

Case 4:19-cv-00044-BMM

Plaintiffs, )

v. )

U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS )  
And LIEUTENANT GENERAL TODD T. )  
SEMONITE (in his official capacity as U.S. )  
Army Chief of Engineers and Commanding )  
General of the U.S. Army Corps of )  
Engineers), )

**ORDER STIPULATION  
AND JOINT CASE  
MANAGEMENT PLAN**

Defendants, )

and )

THE STATE OF MONTANA, )  
TRANSCANADA KEYSTONE )  
PIPELINE, LP, TC ENERGY )  
CORPORATION, AMERICAN GAS )  
ASSOCIATION, AMERICAN )  
PETROLEUM INSTITUTE, )  
ASSOCIATION OF OIL PIPE LINES, )  
INTERSTATE NATURAL GAS )  
ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, and )  
NATIONAL RURAL ELECTRIC )  
COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION )

Defendant-Intervenors.\_\_\_\_\_)

On November 13, 2019, the parties filed a Stipulation and Joint Case Management Plan. For good cause shown in that document, it is hereby ordered:

1. The briefing schedule entered on November 1, 2019 (ECF No. 56), is modified as follows:

Nov. 22, 2019- Plaintiffs file motion for summary judgment;

Dec. 23, 2019- Federal Defendants and Defendant-Intervenor TC Energy file cross-motions/responses;

Dec. 30, 2019- Defendant-Intervenors Montana and Coalition file briefs in support of Federal Defendants'/TC Energy's cross-motions;

Jan. 29, 2020- Plaintiffs file response/reply;

Feb. 14, 2020- Federal Defendants file reply;

Feb. 19, 2020- Defendant-Intervenors file replies.

2. The parties' request the following expansion of the word limits set forth in Local Rule 7.1(d) for the briefing set forth in Paragraph 8 is granted as follows:

Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment – 10,000 words

Federal Defendants' cross-motion/response – 10,000 words

Following the submission of these briefs, the parties will propose word limits for the remaining briefs, including the possibility that Plaintiffs would file a single consolidated reply brief.

Dated this 15th day of November, 2019

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Brian Morris". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "B" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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Brian Morris  
United States District Court Judge